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RESIGNATION OF PRINCIPAL TENDERED TO SCHOOL BOARD OF WASHINGTON UNION HIGH

LETTERS *to the* EDITOR

(The following letter was recently received by the publisher of the Township Register from the American Civil Liberties Union, of New York City, an organization that includes the following nationally-known citizens serving on its committees: Clarence Darrow, Norman Hapgood, Amos Pinchot, William S. U'Ren, Oswald Garrison Villard, Fremont Older, of the San Francisco Call-Bulletin, and Forest Bailey, director of the organization.)

April 17, 1931.

Mr. Norman H. Parks,
Township Register,
Niles, Alameda County,
California.

Dear Sir:

We venture to compliment you on your excellent editorial appearing on the front page and page 8 of your issue of April 9th, entitled, "Intimidation!" You have admirably stated the position which this organization consistently maintains in its defense of the rights of free speech and free assembly. Unfortunately there are large sections of the American public who need to be reminded repeatedly that the principle of free speech means the right to say the thing which the majority will find objectionable. If it does not mean this, it means nothing at all. There is hardly a state in the Union that has a greater need for the reiteration of this principle than has California.

Very truly yours,
FOREST BAILEY,
Director.

E. B. Hodges Resigns After Seven Year Period As Head of School.

Members of the board of trustees of Washington Union High school are in receipt of the resignation of E. B. Hodges, who for the past seven years has officiated as principal of the school, and who asks that the resignation be effective at the end of the present school term, June 30.

It has been ascertained that since the resignation was handed in, more than 120 applications have already been received for the position, and that letters are still coming in at the rate of six or seven a day. The board of trustees have been busy weeding out the many applications, and are taking every precaution and care to select the right man for the position.

The two new members of the High school board, elected on March 27, will not take office until May 1, and therefore no direct action on appointing a successor to the position given up by Mr. Hodges can be made until after that time.

Following is a brief resume of Mr. Hodges resignation, dated April 6:

Board of Trustees,
Washington Union High School,
Centerville, Calif.
Gentlemen:

"Following a seven year period of happy associations with you and with the community, I am asking that you accept this, my resignation, to be effective June 30, 1931. It has been a pleasure to see the development in material ways as well as the fine growth of student responsibility and of student scholarship during this period.

"When I came here seven years

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AMERICAN LEGION SPONSORS BENEFIT FOR W.U.H.S. BAND

Affair Will Be Held On Saturday In Veterans Memorial Building.

In order to assist in defraying the expenses of sending the Washington Union high school band to Sacramento at the end of the month to compete in the State band contest, American Legion Post No. 195 of Washington Township is sponsoring a dance to be held in the Veterans Memorial building on next Saturday evening, April 25. The strong support of the community is urged in order to make the affair a success in raising the necessary quota for this district.

Various events, such as plays, dances and card parties have been sponsored by the various communities in the township during the past few weeks, in order to raise their necessary quota, and the members of the Township Legion post are anxious that their efforts to provide an enjoyable evening be repaid by the support of the community.

AWARDS WON AT FLOWER SHOW BY LOCAL EXHIBITS

Washington Township Garden Country Club was awarded second prize for the best club exhibit at the Hayward Garden club display held last Saturday, and Mrs. T. E. Chadbourne, of Centerville, was awarded second place honors in the most artistic basket section.

Mrs. Joe Gomes, of Niles, was awarded three prizes—two firsts and one second place. The two first prizes were awarded Mrs. Gomes for her exhibit of a basket of mixed La France roses, and for her basket of mixed flowers, while the second award was given her for a basket of Madame Butterfly roses.

The garden section of the Woman's club will hold a flower show in connection with the Food Sale to be held Saturday at the Country club from one until four o'clock, when all are invited to enter their blossoms.

SCHOOL PRINCIPALS TO HOLD HAYWARD MEETING SHORTLY

High school principals from southern Alameda county will gather together on Monday, May 4, for a meeting at the Green Shutter hotel in Hayward, when the election of officers for the ensuing term will be held.

Miss Gertrude Lewis, of Oakland High school, will give a talk on "India."

ABATEMENT STEPS FOR MOSQUITOS BEING TAKEN

Mosquito fish, technically known as Gambusia, are now being distributed to the various fish ponds in Washington township. These fish feed on the mosquito larvae in ponds, and will not interfere with goldfish, and it is planned to place about eight fish in each pond. They may be obtained by applying to R. Bendel, engineering inspector at Decoto.

At the present time, the marsh area directly west of Alvarado has been practically cleared of mosquito breeding water, and the work is now being shifted to the marshes near the Cayote Hills.

Yreka—Number of streets in this town to be improved.

WORKERS RETURN TO WORK MONDAY AT NEWARK PLANT

Amicable Settlement Made Between Iron Molders and Graham Co.

Following a conference between officials of the Jas. Graham Manufacturing Company, Newark, and Arthur Burns, a vice-president of San Francisco Local No. 164, Iron Molders' Union, held at the plant on Friday morning, iron molders who walked out last week in protest against an alleged violation of a six-year-old seniority ruling, returned to work on Monday morning. The early settlement of the walk-out was predicted in last week's issue of the Township Register.

According to varied reports received, the walk-out occurred on Monday, April 13, when the iron molders discovered that Mr. Graham had failed to live up to an agreement made some six years ago, when he apparently promised to abide by the seniority rule in hiring and firing men. The men have only been working the first two days of each week for some little time past.

The dispute between the workers and the company was settled very amicably and peacefully, and the men are now back at work on the old shift.

YOUNG LADIES INSTITUTE RECEIVE OFFICIAL VISIT AT LARGE MEET THURSDAY

Largest Class In History Of Niles Institute Is Initiated.

Members of the Young Ladies' Institute of Niles were honored by an official visit of the Grand President, Miss Katherine Kelly, of Los Angeles, last Thursday evening, when more than 150 members and guests were present, including visitors from San Leandro, San Francisco, Oakland and Alameda. Grand First Vice-President Charlotte Heritage, Grand Marshal Geraldine McCoy and Past President Anna Burgess, together with many other grand officers, were also present.

The largest class initiation held since the organization of the Niles Institute was sponsored at this important gathering, when the following twenty-eight new members were accepted: Emma Alves, Kathleen Bliss, Lilian Brunello, E. Carthy, Edna Destrello, Doris Destrello, Marie Destrello, Marie Escobar, Agnes Garcia, Erma Peterson, Mary Lucas, Rose Nunes, Helen Silveira, Elinor Sil-

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the members of the dedicatory services at Mount Diablo Park next Saturday and Sunday.

Try a Register want ad.

Niles Boy Painfully Injured On Thursday

Tommy Perry, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Perry, of Niles, was painfully cut and bruised when knocked down by automobile on First street on Thursday afternoon. His injuries were treated by Dr. E. C. Grau.

Miss Laura May Dutra, Miss Alice Simas, and Miss Buddy Simas, all of Niles, and Miss Mamie Dias, of Centerville, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Young, of Vallejo, on Sunday.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HEAR INTERESTING TALK ON COUNTY WELFARE WORK

E. W. Burr, Former Resident, Gives Detailed Data at Luncheon.

Stating that during the first nine months of the present fiscal year 51,765 cases were handled by the Welfare Council of Alameda county, E. W. Burr presented some very interesting information to members of the Niles Chamber of Commerce at their regular weekly luncheon meeting held at the Florence restaurant Tuesday noon.

Mr. Burr went on to state that out of the 51,765 cases, about 75 percent, or 39,795, actually received aid, involving an expenditure of $1,069,578.74, and that the work of the welfare council involved an expense of $107,006.37 in handling these cases. He dealt with the activities of the council during the past year, and also on the coming year, and approximated that more than 72,000 cases worthy of assistance would be handled during the next twelve months.

He also made the suggestion to the Chamber of Commerce that a Community Chest for this territory would be the ideal arrangement for taking care of all needy cases, thereby doing away with the hit-or-miss and haphazard manner in which charitable cases were now being handled.

Mr. Burr is a former resident of Niles, and while residing in this locality was a very active member of the local Chamber of Commerce. He is now residing in Hayward.

It was voted by the members present to pay the balance necessary of the local quota of $82 to send the Washington Union High school band to San Francisco and Sacramento this month. Part of the money has been paid by parents of the children participating in the bands. E. A. Ellsworth made a very complete report on this matter.

President F. V. Jones reminded

POPULAR ALVARADO COUPLE ANNOUNCE COMING WEDDING

Miss Da Villa and Joe E. Dutra to Be United in Marriage Sunday.

The marriage of Miss Genevieve Da Villa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Antone Da Villa, pioneer residents of Alvarado, to Joe E. Dutra, also of Alvarado, will take place at 2:30 o'clock on Saturday, April 25, at St. Anne's church.

The wedding service will be performed by Father Reginald, of Fort Bragg. R. Lawrence, of Alvarado, will be the best man for the bridegroom.

Miss Alice Menzes, cousin of Miss Da Villa, will attend the bride-elect, and a supper will be held following the ceremony. The couple plan on taking a trip following the wedding, but their destination is at present unknown.

Following the honeymoon, the newlyweds will temporarily make their home with the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Antone Da Villa, in Alvarado.

Miss Da Villa has, for the past two years, acted in the capacity of correspondent for the Township Register, and the entire staff of this publication wishes to join with her many other friends in wishing her every possible success and happiness.

NILES RESIDENT PLANS OREGON VACATION TRIP

J. E. Maddux, who has sold his barber shop on First street to Owen Swainson, contemplates taking an extended vacation trip to Roseburg, Oregon, until late in the fall, following which he will reenter business. He plans on leaving Niles about April 27 or 28.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

By NORMAN H. PARKS, Publisher Register

LAST OF THE BOURBONS

THE WRITER never did like this king business. Never could understand how ordinarily intelligent people stood for this kind of thing. But often, even the sorely oppressed peoples of Europe seemed to love their worthless, and often imbecile rulers. The pomp and gold braid seemed to throw a glamor about the thing that in a way compensated the masses for their poverty, in a large measure due to the extravagance of court life.

The latest king to tumble in Europe is Alfonso, the last of the Bourbons. He has been a notoriously rotten individual, and his whole court has been corrupt, and almost devoid of brains. After a reign of forty-four years, a constant campaign to rid Spain of monarchy seems to have succeeded. The exiled king, however, believes he will be recalled. Upon what pretext no one knows, but it is not improbable at that. As long as he lives he will be a source of intrigue against the new republic. Some commend the movement in Spain for its moderation in sparing the lives of the ruler and his heirs. They did show self control, but their wisdom may be questioned.

Another king that should go, is the English king. He is a nonentity, it is true, but continuing this feudel custom encourages other countries to cling to their hereditary governments, and suffer all the attendant evils that are the natural consequence of placing in power men who have no claim to leadership upon the broad principles of brains, industry and real worth. England is suffering intensely through business depression. Unemployment is a problem that staggers the best brains of the empire, and while want is rampant, the royal house wastes millions upon millions, for which no tangible return is apparent. The Prince of Wales tries, it is true, to earn his keep in the role of drummer, but his salary is high, and most any good Englishman could do the job better at fifty a week.

QUESTIONABLE HUMOR

MEMBERS of the Alameda county board of supervisors will open themselves to the charge of making fun of the people of Niles. And that won't sound well for Richmond. Several weeks ago a delegation of business men appeared before that body urging early action on the extension of Main street through the California Nursery company grounds. Action was taken at the meeting insofar that the clerk of the board was ordered to secure blank deeds to be used by Niles citizens in procuring title to the property through which the road was to run and for that footage where the road already in use would be widened to the standard of fifty feet.

Almost a month has gone by and not a word from the board or from Richmond. A little more of this kind of business and every one will be pretty thoroughly convinced the whole matter is a little joke with the supervisors. If Richmond does not approve and countenance this delay, then he had better show the people of Niles that he has some power on that board and that kind of stuff does not set well on his chest. Inactivity and silence is damning.

Well, Mr. Niles business man, what are you going to do about it? Maybe you can't do a thing about it, but at least you can tell Mr. Richmond that you don't like this brand of humor.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK IS FITTINGLY OBSERVED BY ALL TOWNSHIP SCHOOLS

Two Decoto Boy Scouts to Attend Oakland Camp

Two boys from the Decoto Boy Scout Troop will be sent to the Oakland scout camp, one by the Decoto Chamber of Commerce and the other by the Fire Department. A trip to the Scout camp is given each year to the two boys who have made the best record in scouting during the year.

Escondido—Local swimming pool opened.

Many Attend Programs Held at High and Grammar Schools.

Public Schools Week was observed with fitting ceremonies at the Washington Union High school last evening, when J. B. Hill presented a very interesting talk on "Education and the Spirit of the Times," to a very large and appreciative audience.

Mr. Hill stated that "One of

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COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE

AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL

Apr. 23—Native Sons, initiation, Niles Parlor No. 250.
Apr. 24—Fire Department Meeting, Fire Hall, 7 p. m.
Apr. 25—American Legion Dance, Veterans Memorial Building, W. U. H. S. Band Benefit.
Apr. 27—I. O. O. F., Odd Fellows' Hall, 8:30 p. m.
Apr. 27—Toyon Branch, Children's Hospital.
Apr. 29—Neighbors of Woodcraft, 8 p. m.
May 1—Rebekahs, I. O. O. F. Hall, 8 p. m.
May 5—Native Daughters, 8 p. m.
May 7—Welfare Board.
May 7—Y. L. I., Odd Fellows' Hall, 8:30 p. m.
May 7—Merry Workers, I. O. O. F. Hall, 2 p. m.

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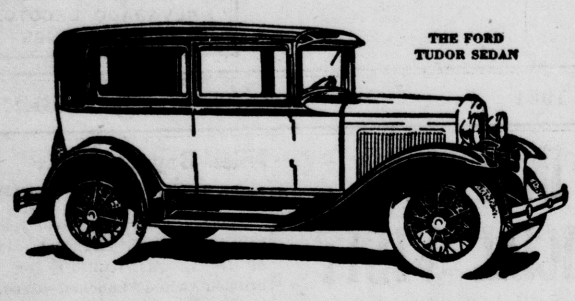

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ALAMEDA COUNTY PUBLISHERS HOLD TWO-DAY MEETING

Livermore Is the Scene of Week-End Gathering of Newspapermen.

Alameda county publishers were guests of Maitland R. Henry, publisher of the Livermore Herald, at a joint business and social meeting at Livermore over the past week-end. Problems confronting the newspapers of the county were discussed at the business session held at the Pines Lodge in the Livermore mountains.

The publishers gathered at the office of the Livermore Herald at noon on Saturday and were the guests of Henry at a dinner in Croce's cafe. T. W. Norris, of the Coast Manufacturing company; John McGlinchey, county fire warden, and M. G. Callaghan, Livermore postmaster, were guests at the dinner and gave short interesting talks on the Livermore valley.

The object of Publisher Henry's meeting was to better acquaint the newspaper men of the district with their own county. To this end the publishers were taken on a trip to the Arroyo sanitorium and the Del Vale Preventorium, both Alameda county instiutions, where they were shown through by Dr. Chesley Bush at the sanitorium, and A. W. Monroe at the preventorium.

After this trip the publishers were taken out through the hills south of Livermore to the Pines Lodge, which is located about nineteen miles from Livermore, but still in Alameda county. The business session of the meeting was held Saturday evening at the club. Sunday was spent in recreation and another motor trip to the magnesite mines.

Publishers in attendance included: Norman H. Parks, Township Register, Niles; Lloyd H. Rhodes, Pleasanton Times, Pleasanton; Dave Hope, Livermore Herald, Livermore; R. R. Kingsley, Livermore Journal, Livermore; W. C. McDowell, Alameda Times-Star, Alameda; D. E. Curzan, Oakland Tribune, Oakland; J. J. Hooper and K. K. Hooper, Hayward Review, Hayward; DeForest Sanford, California News, San Leandro; William Zambresky, San Leandro Reporter, San Leandro; and R. L. Brock, Argus-Spokesman, Albany.

AMADOR PUPILS PLAN TO ENTER DEBATE LEAGUE

Students Will Take Part In League Beginning Next Semester

Debating will be a part of next year's program for extra activities at Amador Valley High School, it was announced this week by R. O. Moyer, principal.

The entrance of the school into the debating league this year was considered, but because of the many activities already planned when the league was formed, the students deemed it advisable not to enter until next semester.

Work on the operetta this year required more time than any similar production in the past and as it had been prepared before the formation of the debating league, the school decided to devote all its attention to perfecting that rather than attempt both and not do justice to either.

In order to better fit the students for league debating the Pro & Con club was organized. This club holds debates during class work and is giving the pupils valuable training for the league debates in the future.

Practically no attention has been given debating in the past and students of Amador would have been handicapped should they have entered the league contests this semester, Moyer said in discussing the action of the school.

Next year representatives of the school are expected to give good accounts of themselves as already several excellent debators have been developed through the medium of the Pro & Con club.

Solana Beach — George White and D. R. Moss opened garage in remodeled building.

ALVARADO WEEKLY NEWS

ALVARADO TO HOLD HOLY GHOST FIESTA WITH FITTING RITES

Parade, Fireworks, Carnival, Planned for Festival May 2 and 3.

The first Holy Ghost Festival in Washington township for the current season is to be held in Alvarado on Saturday and Sunday, May 2 and 3, and will be followed during the month by similar festivals in various parts of the township.

On Saturday, May 2, King Carnival will reign supreme, the day to be climaxed in the evening with an elaborate display of fireworks, followed by two dances, one to be held in the I. O. O. F. hall, with Pinto brothers orchestra providing the music, and the other to be held in the Japanese school hall, with Ernie Pimental and his orchestra in attendance.

On Sunday, May 3, the parade, headed by Queen Madeline Silva, and her two attendants and a flower girl, will commence at ten o'clock, and will finish at St. Anne's church, where mass will be solemnized.

Many attractive features have been planned for the festival this year by the hard-working committee in charge, and from present appearances it promises to be very successful.

A free barbecue in the afternoon will be one of the many attractions, and an auction of donated cattle, poultry and food stuffs will also be held.

Alvarado Personals

A chamarita was given on Wednesday evening, April 22nd, at the Parish hall, in Alvarado, for the benefit of St. James church. The Pinto Brothers orchestra furnished the music.

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Mrs. C. W. Baird and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. L. L. McClellan and daughter, Barbara, enjoyed the past week-end visiting with Miss Lorene Roe at her home in Los Banos.

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John Smyrl, of Alvarado, is building a new home on the Centerville-Alvarado highway. Mr. Smyrl will wed Miss Sadie Tait, of Berkeley, in the near future.

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Albert Norris, postmaster, has been confined to his home for the past week on account of illness.

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H. Crooks has returned to Alvarado, after residing in Fullerton for the past six months.

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Mr. and Mrs. Manuel L. Rose are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Sunday, April 19.

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Mrs. August May, of Centerville, will leave shortly on an extended vacation trip to Europe.

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Mrs. Anne Amaral has been confined to her home for the past week with a severe case of influenza.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jacinto, Herbert Jacinto, Joseph, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ralph, spent the week-end at Brookdale.

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Mrs. Manuel Gularte spent Tuesday in San Jose.

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Mr. and Mrs. Antone Santos and daughters, Alvina and Winifred, and A. Da Villa, attended a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs Anker Christensen, after the christening of Mr. and Mrs. Christenson's young son, Alden, at St. Edwards Church in Newark on Sunday.

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Clarence Flores, employed at a local salt plant, has been confined to his home for a few days with the influenza.

Fortuna—Modern street lighting system being installed here.

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LESLIE SALTS WIN THIRD SUCCESSIVE VICTORY SUNDAY

Score Five to Four Win Over Hayward Team In Close Game.

The Leslie Salts baseball team of Alvarado won their third successive victory last week when they won five to four over the Hayward merchants. All five runs were scored in the sixth inning when right fielder Vargas started the ball rolling with a double. In the ninth, Corriea partly saved the day by stopping a hard hit ball with two men on bases.

Degermark played a prominent part in the victory, striking out eleven men.

Line-ups follow:

Leslie Salt

Player—	AB.	R.	H.
H. Robinson, r.f.	1	0	0
Corriea, 2b.	4	1	1
Ferry, c.f.	2	0	0
W. Robinson, s.s.	2	0	2
Searles, 1b.	2	1	0
Dutra, 3b.	4	1	1
Perry, l.f.	4	0	1
Soito, c.	3	0	1
Degermark, p.	3	0	0
Vargas, r.f.	2	1	1
Ameral, s.s.	2	1	2
Totals	29	5	9

Hayward

Player—	AB.	R.	H.
Castro, 2b.	5	0	2
Nabriga, s.s.	3	1	1
Ledo, l.f.	5	0	0
Alameda, 3b.	5	2	2
Jenson, c.f.	4	0	0
Felia, r.f.	4	1	2
Rose, 1b.	4	0	2
Gigli, c.	4	0	2
Cardoza, p.	3	0	1
Totals	37	4	12

Two-base hits, Vargas, Ameral 2, Dutra, Nabriga, Gigli.

Struck out by Degermark, 11; by Cardoza, 8.

ALVARADO LADIES ATTEND MEETING OF Y. L. I. GROUP

Miss Mayme Avilla, Mrs. Frank Roderick, Miss Edith Mello and Mrs. Lenora Silva attended the initiation of the DeGuadalupe Institute of the Y. L. I. of Niles on Thursday evening at the Niles I. O. O. F. hall. Miss Mello and Mrs. Silva were two of the members initiated. After the meeting delightful refreshments were served.

MORE ON YOUNG LADIES

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veira, Mary Doland, and Cathleen Sullivan, all from Niles! Edith Mello, Mamie Perry and Leonore Silva, of Alvarado; Laura Dutra and Emily Reeter, of Newark; Mary L. Sylvio, of Pleasanton, H. Cunha, of Decoto; Mary L. George, Alice King, Constance Lucas, Marie Rose and Mary Souza, of Centerville.

The meeting room was artistically decorated with beautiful baskets of various spring flowers, and the banquet room tables carried out a color scheme of pink and green, with baskets of lovely Cecil Bruner roses. Beautiful corsages were given to each new member. An Institute pin was presented to Miss D. Bunker for assisting the president in obtaining new members. As the Institute also celebrated their 15th anniversary, a pin was presented to Mae Moore, as first past-president.

On April 26, an Eastbay district Y. L. I., and Y. M. I. meeting is to be held at Livermore, and plans were discussed Thursday relative to representation of the local Institute in the parade. President Margaret Crane and Recording-Secretary Adeline Fontes are to officiate as officers at the Livermore conclave, and the newly-formed flag team of the local Institute will put on the ritualistic work.

Register for Better Printing.

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MRS. R. BENDEL ADDRESSES P.-T. A. AT TENNYSON

Mrs. Roland Bendel, as district chairman of Standards of Literature, spoke at the Tennyson P.-T. A. last Thursday evening, outlining what has been done in Alameda county in the way of eliminating obnoxious magazines and literature, and drew attention to the fact that there is to be an excellent exhibit of new children's books shown by the Alameda county library at the district P.-T. A. convention on Monday, April 27, at the Woman's City club, in Oakland.

NEW EQUIPMENT IS PLANNED FOR FIRE HALL AT DECOTO

Chief Bendel of the Decoto Fire department is contemplating the modernizing of his equipment. The old style chemical tanks are to be removed and replaced by a 200 gallon booster tank; a pump is to be mounted and a hose body of 800 feet of 1½ inch hose capacity installed. This will give Decoto a thoroughly up-to-date piece of apparatus, known in fire department parlance as a "Triple Combination."

DECOTO RESIDENTS TAKE FISHING TRIP TO SYCAMORE PARK

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Luna and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Mello and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Silva and family, all of Decoto, spent the week-end at Sycamore Park on an enjoyable fishing trip. John Mello brought home five striped bass, each weighing twelve pounds.

In celebration of his catch Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Silva and family were entertained at a fish dinner on Monday evening.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TAKE TIME IN PREPARING DEEDS FOR ROAD PROJECT

Niles Personal Items

Charles Coyle, of Niles, enjoyed the ball game at Oakland on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dini, and son, Art, of Niles, motored to Fairfax, Marin county, on Sunday, where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Swainson, of Niles, visited friends in San Francisco on Sunday.

Tune in on KQW, 7:45 p. m.—A23-30c

Frank Ferry enjoyed the 13-inning ball game in the new Seals stadium on Sunday.

Miss Ann Perrin, of Niles, spent the week-end visiting with her folks in Lodi.

Miss Eleanor Jack, of Niles, spent the week-end visiting with friends in Oakland.

Mrs. W. V. Eberly, Mrs. E. C. Grau and sister, Mrs. J. Lund, of Niles, were luncheon guests of Mrs. Jack Williamson on Saturday.

Mrs. Thomas L. Tobin, of San Francisco, is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. V. Eberly, of Niles.

Mrs. W. F. Sylvia, of Pleasanton, spent Thursday and Friday visiting with Mrs. C. B. Crane, of Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Cardoza and family, of Niles, were visitors in Oakland on Sunday, where they attended the ball game.

Dan Marble, of Niles, is the proud possessor of a new automobile.

Mrs. Emma Lewis, of Los Angeles, has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Marble, of Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Andrade, of Pleasanton, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferry, of Niles, on Sunday.

J. D. Ferry, of Niles, Joe Andrade, of Pleasanton, Frank Vargas, of Niles, were visitors in San Jose on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Knudsen, of Pleasanton, were visitors with Mrs. E. Enos, of Niles, last week.

Promise Was Made Two Weeks Ago But Deeds Not Yet Received.

Two weeks ago the County Board of Supervisors made a definite promise to representatives of the Niles Chamber of Commerce to immediately prepare the necessary deeds for submission to all property owners concerned in the extension of Main street through to the nursery road. TWO WEEKS in which to complete a small task that should ordinarily take but thirty minutes! TWO WEEKS, and still the deeds have not been received by the Niles Chamber of Commerce, who have been all too patiently waiting to rush this very needy project through to a successful completion!

TWO WEEKS more added to the great many that have already been wasted while this important and necessary asset to the growth of Niles is shunted around from pillar to post, and apparently purposely lost in the shuffle of matters not considered as important by the supervisors! TWO WEEKS to prepare half a dozen deeds that are commonplace, every-day forms! What would happen, and how much water would flow under the bridge if the Alameda County Board of Supervisors had to put their heads together and prepare the Declaration of Independence, the Magna Charta, or the Wickersham Report?

This vital project for Niles has been dragging along now for more than two years, and it is time the civic organizations and citizens interested in the growth of this community should band together to present a solid, determined front to the supervisors, and demand early action by that body!

The reason for all this delay is clearly apparent, and it is only by absolute determined insistence that the board of supervisors can be forced into action! Citizens of Niles—get behind your Chamber of Commerce and support them in their hard-working endeavors to bring yet another needed acquisition to your town! Show them your faith, and put your shoulder to the wheel that will simply have to be turned by brute force, instead of being turned with the aid of cooperation and willingness—cooperation and willingness that is so evidently lacking on the part of the supervisors!

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Coffee
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Cornstarch
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Beans
Red Mexican beans
5 Lbs. 23c
10 Lbs. 43c

Flapjack Flour
Albers flapjack flour in large pkgs. 23c

Irvington Register

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Rose, accompanied by Harry Rose, witnessed a polo game in Oakland on Sunday.

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Lawrence Dutra, of Irvington, who left for Kansas last week where he is to play professional baseball, was given a big farewell party at his home on Saturday, when more than 100 friends were present.

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Mrs. Lela Weston was the victim of an unfortunate accident Monday when she slipped and fell, severely spraining her wrist.

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Pearl Buwer is the proud owner of a new Ford car. Lots of rides for the kiddies now!

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Carlton Rasmussen, former Irvington boy, now married and residing in Gilroy, visited with Mr. Robert Wright last week.

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A group of Irvington Boy Scouts took a trip into the Calaveras hills last Saturday.

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Raoul Campos is expected to arrive in Irvington either late Sunday or early Monday morning.

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A party was given by Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Turnbow last Saturday evening at their Newark home.

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Major F. Slater has resumed his residence in Irvington, after having been away for the past several months.

IRVINGTON SCHOOL HAS INTERESTING DISPLAY OF PETS

Pupils of Grammar School Hold Pet Show in Quad On April 17th

A pet show was held by the third and fourth grades of the Irvington Grammar school under the direction of Miss Stivers and Miss Taylor on Friday, April 17, in commemoration of "Be Kind to Animals Week" which is now being held from April 19 to 25.

At one o'clock the pets were paraded by their owners around the quad where the entire school had assembled to watch the parade. They were then brought before the judges and were all awarded white ribbons for entrance. Following this the judges awarded a blue ribbon to Teddie, a collie, owned and exhibited by Ben Mozzetti, for the best dog in the exhibit. A gold ribbon was also awarded to Mickie, a fox terrier, owned and exhibited by Dorothy Williams for the dog doing the most tricks. Red ribbons were awarded to John Ireland and Sumi Ohye for having given homes to stray dogs.

The ribbons were donated by Mrs. Teboult from the Latham Foundation for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, who watched the parade from among the audience.

The judges were selected from the sixth, seventh and eighth grades. They were Evelyn Pond, Philip Ramsell, Walter Rose and 'Gene Slater, all of whom carried out their work as judges very acceptably.

All animals were well groomed and exhibited. Dogs, rabbits, white rats, canaries, love birds, gold fish, pigeons and chickens were exhibited.

The exhibitors were: Betty May Koga, Willie Borba, Chris Gomes, Toshio Ferushio, Ben Mozzetti, May Takizawa, Rita Borge, Eleanor George, Yasuko Ishida, Alvin King, Margaret Trenouth, Edna Oliveria, Dorothy Williams, Joseph Evulich, Lucas Achay, Elma Rose, Woodrow Goularte, Peter Kolik, Charles Cheek, Mitsuo Machida, John Ireland and Sumi Ohye.

Irvington Personals

Joe Blacow was a visitor in San Francisco last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. De Silva, and brother, Joe, have temporarily moved to Stockton, where Mr. De Silva's relatives reside. He will, however, continue his work here.

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Reid Bros., Inc., have resumed work on a small scale for the present, but plans call for a larger force of men after May 1.

San Anselmo—J. A. Delaney and H. W. Farnum, of San Francisco, purchased Herrod Electric Company.

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Apr. 27—Fire Department Meeting, Fire Hall, 7 p. m.
Apr. 28—Native Sons, Hansen's Hall, 8 p. m.
May 1—Centerville Athletic Club, Town Hall, 8 p. m.
May 1—Native Daughters, Betsy Ross Parlor, Anderson's Hall,8 p.m.
May 4—Centerville Grove No. 123, Druids.
May 5—Country Club.
May 7—St. James Men's Club, Memorial Hall, 8 p. m.
May 9—F. and A. M., Masonic Hall, 8 p. m.

DANCE IS PLANNED BY N. D. G. W. IN NEAR FUTURE

Betsy Ross Parlor of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, Centerville, are now completing plans for another of their enjoyable and happy time dances to be given during May, and dance lovers are earnestly requested to watch for the date.

The dance planned will be an aftermath of the many social events given by the local Centerville parlor, the most recent being a theater party held Tuesday evening, when thirty of the young members attended.

Dramatic Club Surprise Mrs. May at Luncheon

Mrs. August May, of Alvarado, who is leaving shortly for a trip to Europe, was pleasantly surprised Tuesday noon, when members of the Dramatic section of the Centerville Country club held a luncheon at Castlewood in her honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Parks and son, of Centerville, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Parks and son, George, Jr., of Palo Alto, enjoyed a picnic at Pebble Beach on Sunday.

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HIGH HONOR GIVEN WASHINGTON HIGH REPRESENTATIVE

Shakespearian Contest Win Is Awarded Edward Bimemiller.

In his second consecutive year as the chosen representative of Washington Union High school, Edward Bimemiller was awarded second place in class C at the Shakesperian contest held at the University of California on Saturday, when representatives of all schools in California participated.

Bimemiller, who was coached by Miss Aubrey Nicely of the high school faculty, was selected to represent Washington High following a contest held at Centerville recently, this being the second year he has received the honor.

He chose as his oration a selection from The Merchant of Venice, act one, scene three, and his delivery of the scene between Shylock and Antonio was rendered in a very impressive manner, and the honor he brought to Washington High school as a result of his selection as second place winner is considered very gratifying, especially in view of the fact that this is only the second year the local school has entered the contest.

First place in class C (for schools of 500 registration or less) was won by Maurice Corbett, of Livingstone High school, and third place was awarded to Howard Elder, of Sebastapol High school.

Sierra Madre—Community playground being planned.

LARGE MID-SUMMER CLASS OF WASHINGTON HIGH WILL RECEIVE DIPLOMAS IN JUNE

President of Mills College Will Give Commencement Address.

Dr. A. Rinehart, president of Mills College, has been secured to give the commencement address at the mid-summer graduation exercises on Wednesday, June 10, of Washington Union High school, when a class of sixty-three will receive their diplomas.

The class of summer '31 is composed of thirty girls and thirty-three boys, and the graduation exercises, commencing at 8 o'clock, will be held in the new school gymnasium.

Following is a list of the class who will graduate in June:

Alt, Mary Eleanor.
Amaral, Manuel Ralph.
Andrade, Mae Winifred.
Avilla, Joseph Vincent.
Avilla, Lillian Mae.
Bettencourt, Eugene Dennis.
Bettencourt, Vincent Paul.
Beveridge, James.
Bimemiller, Edward Charles.
Caldeira, Florence M.
Cieslak, Irene E.
Coley, George.
Corriea, Helen Grace.
Costa, Elsie Delphine.
Dutra, Irma Rosalyn.
Ferry, Joseph.
Flores, Henrietta C.
Foster, Olivia Bertram.
Gonsalves, Manuel George.
Gronley, Judith.
Holm, Lenore Belle.
Justus, Eugene Kenneth.
Kawaguchi, Mitsuye.
Kerns, Samuel L.
Laudenslager, Florence Elizabeth
Lebon, Edward Joseph.
Lerma, Boliver S.
Lucas, Clarence David.
Lucas, Lola Lorraine.
Mattos, Frank E.
Munger, Milton.
Nakashima, Sumi G.
Nakayama, Yonoo.
Neves, Louis Robert.
Oliveira, Arlene Dorothy.
Oliveira, Irene Inez.
Pechon, Mariano V.
Perry, Aldina Gertrude.
Pine, Lawrence W.
Pond, Wallace R.
Reivere, Vesta Amelia.
Rivers, Inez Ann.
Rogers, Edith Ernestine.
Rose, Edward Anthony.
Rose, Gladys Lucille.
Rose, Roumilda R.
Sakaki, Tsurue T.
Secada, Roy Andrew.
Seppi, Nadine Alice.
Sequeira, Alice G.
Sequeira, Ida Marie.
Silva, Elsie Marie.
Silva, Olive Marie.
Silveira, Dorothea M.
Soito, Clarence Marion.
Spetti, Donald.
Steinhoff, Aileen Lucille.
Swanson, Sophie.
Telles, Leland Henry.
Ujihara, George.
Willis, Agatha E.
Wright, Robert.

CITIZENSHIP CLASS VERY ACTIVE AT NIGHT SCHOOL

The citizenship class of the Washington High night school has accomplished several noteworthy efforts during the past year. The class has consisted of a live group of men and women who have been extremely interested in becoming citizens of the United States, with Barton L. Webb, of the Washington Union High school faculty, as their teacher.

Those of the class who have received their citizenship papers this year are: Ed Roderick, and Mrs. Kirkish, of Centerville; Mrs. Lisa Phoedonius, of Irvington, and Joe Pfan, of Alvarado.

Those who have made application for their citizenship papers, and who will receive them this year, are: Wilfred Greenbaugh, Julius Veigel, Fritz Seidler and William Untiedt, of Newark; Manuel Andrade, of Pleasanton; Seraphin Naia, of Alvarado; Jose Das Silveira, and Johnny Ray, of Niles.

The crown has been taken off Pine street, Centerville, and the thoroughfare has been resurfaced.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Kirk, old residents of Centerville, have purchased a new six-room home recently completed on the Hansen tract.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mette, of Centerville, spent the week-end in San Jose.

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NATIVE DAUGHTERS PLAN PROGRAM FOR MOTHERS

Vendome Parlor of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, San Jose, will entertain members of the Betsy Ross Parlor, of Centerville, at Anderson hall, on Friday evening, May 1, when mothers of the neighboring district are most cordially invited to attend. There will be a movie reel, and a musical program with songs, dances and short skits.

The purpose of the entertainment and meeting is to acquaint and offer to the community the desire for local entrants in the baby carriage parade and baby health contest which takes place May 15 at San Jose in connection with the Fiesta De Las Rosas. The Native Daughters of San Jose are in direct charge of this particular contest, and are anxious of enlisting babies of not more than four years of age.

Miss Ester Pierce, who has been residing in Centerville for the past ten months, will return to her home at Commonwealth, Vermont, on Saturday.

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Mrs. Angie Bettencourt is now employed at Floyd E. Parks' store in Centerville, in place of Miss Pierce, who has resigned to return to her home back east.

Personal Items

A special committee meeting of the St. James Men's club was held Tuesday evening, when plans for the coming whist party to be held May 1 were discussed.

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Miss Ruth Snyder, of San Francisco, has been visiting during the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Regli. Mr. Regli is coach at W. U. H. S.

HAYWARD FARMERS GIVEN TROUNCING BY W.U.H.S. NINE

Crucial Alameda League Game Won by Score of 11 to 4.

Scoring seven runs in the first three frames, the Washington High school baseball nine virtually cinched the championship of the Alameda County league by administering an eleven-to-four drubbing to the Hayward ball-slingers on the local diamond Tuesday afternoon. The Washington team has two more games to play before the season closes, one more against the Hayward Farmers, and another against

(Continued on Page Seven)

Centerville Personals

With Wilson and Kitashima pitching, the Washington Union High school ball team scored a six-to-nothing shut-out victory over St. Joseph's school of San Jose on the local diamond Friday.

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W. Mattos, representing Washington Union High school, took third place in the discus with a throw of 114 feet and 7 inches at the Hollister Invitational track meet held Saturday.

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Mrs. Garrett Norris, of Centerville, spent two days last week visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Beatrice Davies, of Oakland.

The Misses Harriet and Emma Norris, of Centerville, were San Francisco visitors last week.

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Track men of W. U. H. S. will journey to the Mountain View school on Saturday morning in an attempt to avenge the defeat administered by that school to the Washington football squad last season.

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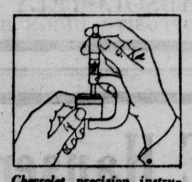

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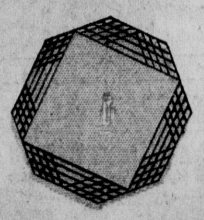

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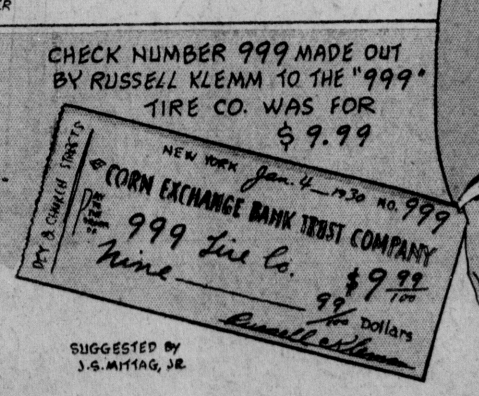

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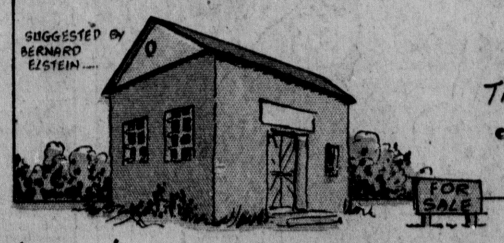

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HELLO!
IF IT'S THE DUCHESS OF FLATBUSH I'LL SPEAK TO HER! IS IT SHE?
NOPE, IT ISN'T FOR YOU, MA!
IT IS JEFF?
SH-H-H, POP!
QUITE SO, QUITE SO! YET-ON THE OTHER HAND-
IF IT'S JEFF I'LL TALK TO HIM!
S-H-H! POP, DON'T BE SO RUDE!
EXCUSE ME!
EXCUSE ME! I WAS TALKING TO POP!- - - - - - - -
M-M! FANCY THAT!
-WELL, RAWTHER! - - - - - - - YES! - - - - - - - - - - NO, INDEED? FANCY THAT!!
THAT'S WHAT THEY SAY!! - - - - YEP! - - - - QUITE SO!
THAT'S OKAY! THAT'S OKAY!! - - - - - - - - - YOU BETCHER BOOTS!
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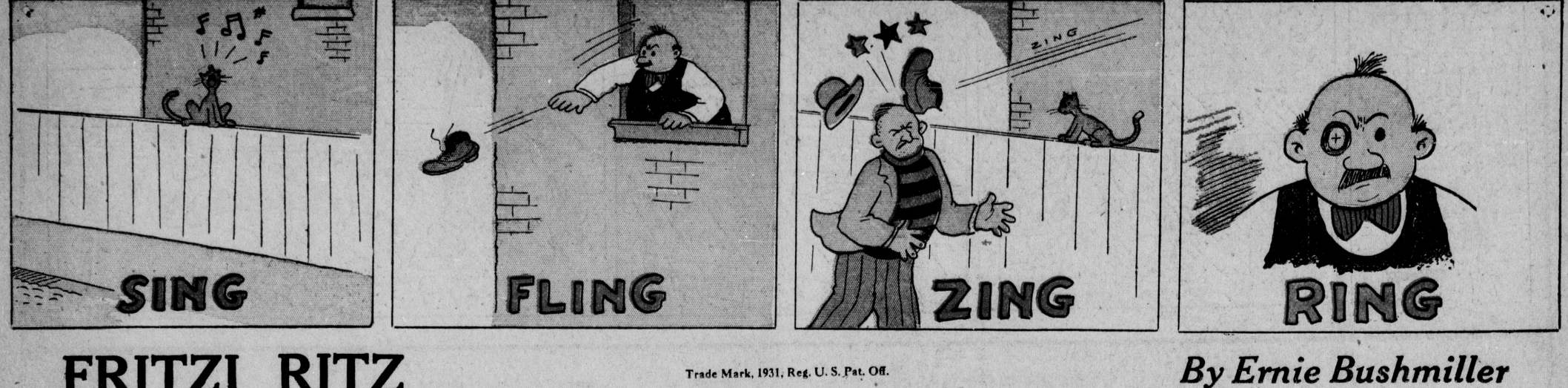

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By Ernie Bushmiller

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HEAVENS - WHAT A PECULIAR INDIVIDUAL!
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THAT'S WHAT I SAID!
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DOMESTIC CASE IS SETTLED BY JUDGE C. A. GALE

Judgement Is Suspended In Battery Charge Against Wife Beater

Sentence was suspended by Judge Charles A. Gale, of Pleasanton, in the justice court in the case of C. J. Christensen, charged with battery. The complaint was sworn to by Mrs. Betty Christensen, his wife, following a fight on Main street in Pleasanton.

Mrs. Christensen told Judge Gale that this was the first time her husband had ever struck her. The defendant was given a lecture by Judge Gale, who aided in the patching up of the matrimonial rift and released the man.

Christensen had been at liberty under $50 bail since last week.

Yuba City — Fred Anglade received $10,000 contract for erection of fruit packing plant to be located on Bridge street.

Native Sons to Initiate Large Class This Evening In Niles

Deputy Grand President, Native Sons Golden West
AL LOBREE

Niles Parlor No. 250, Native Sons of the Golden West, will initiate one of the largest classes of new members in the history of the parlor at their meeting to be held this evening, when more than 100 members of Fruitvale parlor No. 252 will journey to Niles for the purpose of putting on the degree work.

John A. Corotto, grand treasurer from San Jose, and Frank I. Gonzales, grand first vice-president, of San Francisco, will be among the disinguished visitors who have promised to be present.

Al Lobree, deputy grand president of the Native Sons of the Gilden West, has been putting in a great deal of time at Niles Mission San Jose and Arlington in order to make the Niles Parlor one of the largest organizations in this end of the state.

The following statement is sent to all eligible native sons of California by the grand president:

"I, John T. Newell, grand president of the order of Native Sons of the Golden West, do hereby appeal to all native born Californians of the white race born within the State of California of the age of eighteen years and upward, of good health and character, and who believe in the existence of a Supreme Being, to join our fraternity and thereby assist in the aims and purposes of the organization:

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"To elevate and improve the manhood upon which the destiny of our country depends.

"To encourage interest in all matters and measures to the material upbuilding of the State of California.

"To assist in the development of the wonderful natural resources of California.

"To protect the forest, conserve the waters, improve the rivers and the harbors, and beautify the towns and the cities.

"To collect, make known and preserve all the historic landmarks of the state.

"To provide homes for California's homeless children, regardless of race, creed or color.

"To keep this state a paradise for the American citizen by thwarting the organized efforts of undesirable people to control its destiny.

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Rejuvenated Amador Dons Continue To Pile Up Many Errors

Hayward Scores Six Runs on Four Hits To Win 6 to 2

The rejuvenated Dons of Amador went to Hayward on Tuesday afternoon with the determination to wipe out the last defeat at the hands of the Farmers. However, they struck a snag in the first inning when three runs were scored and dropped the decision by a 6 to 2 score.

As in several games in the past the Dons have outhit their opponents, but pulled such a quantity of muffs in the field that no amount of good pitching and batting can overcome. In the Hayward game this week the Dons were charged with nine errors, while they clouted out six safties, against the Farmers' four bingles.

In the first inning two walks and two hits combined to give the Farmers a three run lead, which would have been sufficient to have won the game, but they added two more in the sixth and the final tally was put across in the seventh frame.

After the bad first inning Julius Anselmo settled down and allowed only two more hits, but bad fielding back of him permitted the scoring of the other three runs.

The Dons had several opportunities to score, having had runners of third base a number of times, but failed at the critical moment. Frank Marino scored both of the Dons' runs.

This defeat leaves the Dons in third place in the league with three wins and the same number of defeats.

Totals:

	R	H	E
Amador	2	4	9
Hayward	6	4	5

Former Amador Hi Athlete Makes U. C. Track Team

Ermino Soito Ranks Second In Thowing Javalin at Berkeley School

Ermino Soito, a graduate of the Amador Valley High School, left with the University of California track team this week for Los Angeles where they will meet the University of Southern California squad.

Soito was a star athlete while in high school here, taking part in all sports.

He is specializing in the javalin throw now, having a record of 175 feet, and is ranked as the second best at this sport in the Berkeley school, it was said.

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The Newark Register

By KARL NORDVIK

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR WORKERS HOLD SOCIAL

A social was given at the home of Mrs. J. Fyffe on Friday evening for those of Newark who are interested in Christian Endeavor work of the Newark Presbyterian church. Several games were played and refreshments were served. Those present were: Mrs. J Fyffe and sons and daughters, Joseph, William, Mable and Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grace, D. E. Mathes, Mrs. T. Reviere, the Misses Lesda and Mildred Sayles, Vesta Reviere, Lucy Duhurst, Helen Barton, Anna Logan, Barbara Laudenslager, Jenny Hoffman, and the Messrs. Thor Nordvik, Theodore and Ralph Logan, Walter and James Bevelege, Romaine Reviere, Glenn Trout, Howard Blacow, Charles Anderson and Karl Nordvik.

REVEREND FATHER BRAY UNDERGOES TWO OPERATIONS

The Reverend Father Bray, of Newark, was removed to St. Mary's hospital in San Francisco recently to undergo two operations. He has been greatly missed by his congregation at the St. Edward's church in Newark, and the Reverend Father Reginald has been substituting in Father Bray's forced absence. The very many friends of the Reverend Bray hope for a speedy recovery.

Newark Residents Receive News of Sad Bereavement

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Fulton and son, Jerry, were suddenly called out of town Saturday when they received news of the passing of Mr. Fulton's mother in Los Angeles. The many friends of this well known Newark couple will sympathize with them in their bereavement.

Wilbert and Raymond Keough, formerly pupils at the Newark grammar school, transferred to the Centerville grammar school on Monday morning, where they have been residing for the past two months.

Centerville and Newark Friends Entertain Sisters

The Misses Marie and Cpnthia Herzog, of Courtland, were visitors with friends in Newark and Centerville over the week-end. They stayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Souza in Centerville. A dinner was given in honor of the girls at the home of Mrs. J. E. Collins on Sunday, when the following people were present: Marie and Cynthia Herzog, Marjorie Martin, Mrs. J. E. Collins, Ernest Pimentel, and James and Edward Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Furtado and son, Laverne, of Centerville, and Hugh Steinhoff, visited Mr. and Mrs. William Barb in the San Joaquin valley over the week-end. They all joined in a fishing trip, and returned with quite a large catch.

PARTY TENDERED TO CAST OF "LITTLE CLODHOPPER"

Members of the recent play, "The Little Clodhopper," gave a party on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Ruth Townsend, when the following were present: Elizabeth Laudenslager, Barbara Laudenslager, Mrs. Townsend, Judith Gronley, Aileen Steinhoff, Louise Yockey, Mrs. E. Steinhoff, Mr. and Mrs. George Komes, Hugh Steinhoff, James and Edward Collins and John Gronley.

Committeeman Silva Is Present at Scout Meet

At the recent Boy Scout meeting on Monday evening much time was devoted to boys who are passing tests for merit badges.

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MORE ON Hayward Farmers

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the Amadors of Pleasanton, who were recent victims of the local sluggers by a twenty-three-to-five count.

Kitashima, Washington hurler, was in excellent form, and although he was nicked for eleven hits, he kept them well scattered.

Following are the line-ups and box score:

Washington

	AB	H	R	E
Faria	5	4	2	0
Sikigahama	4	0	0	0
Gularte	4	2	2	0
Fontes	3	2	1	0
Garcia	1	2	1	0
Lebon	3	2	4	0
Amaral	4	0	0	0
Mattos	3	2	1	0
Kitashima	2	0	1	0
Nakagawara	0	0	0	0
Wilson	0	0	0	1
	34	14	11	1

Battery: Kitashima and Garcia.

Hayward

	AB	H	R	E
Sousa	4	2	1	0
Turner	5	2	0	0
Henry	4	0	0	0
Silva	2	0	0	0
Sercy	2	0	0	0
Connor	2	1	0	0
Rose	1	0	0	0
Brown	4	3	1	0
Airington	2	2	0	0
Madsen	2	1	0	0
Lawsen	4	1	1	0
Lewis	4	1	1	1
	38	13	4	1

Battery: Lewis, Connor and Sousa.

Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Washington	2	1	4	0	4	0	0	0		—11
Hayward	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	— 4

MRS. HUDDLESTON IS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF PARENT-TEACHERS

New Officers Will Be Installed at Regular Monthly Meeting in May

Election of officers was the business of the meeting held by the Pleasanton Parent-Teachers association at the grammar school on Wednesday afternoon.

Installation of the officers will take place at the meeting next month. Pupils of the Fifth grade will offer the entertainment for that session.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are a follows: Mrs. S. E. Huddleston, president; Mrs. J. B. Lee, vice-president; Mrs. G. G. Green, recording secretary; Miss Eleanor Rathke, treasurer; Miss Billy Langdon, financial secretary; and Mrs. Gene Doucette, membership chairman.

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MORE ON PUBLIC SCHOOL WEEK

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the most apparent characteristics of this time in which we live is that it is a time of change. There are a great many books and articles written and a great many speeches given about the change that is taking place in the world. We have seen the automobile develop from a noisy one or two cylinder contraption to a swift, smooth, silent contrivance with four, six or eight or more cylinders, and about three payments to each cylinder. We have seen the beginning and the development to wide-spread use of the airplane. And we have both seen and heard the development of the radio from a squawking, squeaking thing of torture to an instrument in which the squawks and squeaks are at least intentional.

"If the spirit of the time is one of change—it is well to ask whether present day education is in keeping with this spirit—whether the schools are meeting their obligation to prepare the rising generation for life into a changing world."

His speech throughout was very inspiring, and the audience listened to many facts about education that they had never even dreamed of.

In closing, Mr. Hill stated: "And so we come to the end of the list of the objectives of modern education. Our grandfathers may have studied their lessons, as Lincoln did, by the flickering light of a log fire. Our fathers and mothers, perhaps studied theirs by the light of a candle. Many of us studied ours by the light of a kerosene lamp. Our children may study theirs under an electric lamp giving rays almost as well suited to the human eye as the rays of the sun. Changes, as startling and far-reaching in their influence as these have come about in the schools in their attempt to prepare the youth of today for the world of tomorrow. Their methods and their aims in that attempt have by no means reached perfection; but if we do our work well and conscienciously, as parents and as teachers, always keeping our faith in our young people, that attempt will by no means fail."

Grammar School Program.

A large gathering of parents attended the open-house at the Niles grammar school held on Tuesday evening, and were manifestly interested in the many exhibits of work by the school children that were on display. Motion picture slides showing some of the more intimate scenes of the children's school life were shown, and a musical entertainment was put on for the entertainment of those parents in attendance. Refreshments were also served.

David E. Martin, county supervisor of schools, gave a very interesting talk, which was very well received by the large audience present.

Irvington Grammar School

An exhibit showing the work of the children of the Irvington Grammar school is being held in the school library today and tomorrow, and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Baker—$260,000 appropriated for grading and surfacing on Arrowhead Trail, east of here in San Bernardino county.

Congregational Church
NILES
Sunday School—10 a. m.
Church Worship—11 a. m.
ELMER G. BRINKMEYER
Pastor

ALAMEDA INVITES TOWNSHIP ELKS TO DANCE

Washington Township Elks and their ladies will welcome the good news that social activities will be the order of business under Robert Hanjes, the newly installed Exalted Ruler of Alameda Lodge No. 1015. The month of May will open with the lodge rooms elaborately decorated for the "Dance of the Colored Bubbles," the first dance of the season to be held on Saturday night, May 2.

The well-known Fleur de Lis will furnish the music, and it is planned to adjourn to the Hotel Alameda where a light midnight repast will be served.

Friday night, May 22, is the date set for a "Prize Whist," and merchandise representing a value of approximately $200 is now on display in the lodge rooms. Both functions will be held in the lodge rooms of the Alameda organization.

SERMON ANNOUNCED FOR IRVINGTON CHURCH

Extending a cordial welcome to people of all faiths, Pastor John E. Moore, of the Irvington Community church, announces that he will speak on the theme, "The Preeminence of Saint Peter as set forth by Jesus"—a cardinal truth on which both Catholics and Protestants can unite.

Pastor Moore also asks that anyone in the community who has a car and can assist in taking the young people to Palo Alto for an outing on May 2 to please notify him.

FORMER RESIDENT ENJOYS AUTO TRIP TO HER OLD HOME

Maintaining an average of more than 400 miles per day, Mrs. Alma Inman Parker, accompanied by her son, Inman, recently arrived back at their old home in Beardon, Tenn., after an enjoyable seven day motor trip from San Jose, where they have been making their home for the past few months. Mrs. Parker wa sa very well known resident of Washington township, and her many friends in this locality will greatly miss her.

Niles Personal Items

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ford, of Niles, are expected back home shortly from an extended world tour.

Mrs. F. O. Bunting, of Centerville, and her daughter, Mrs. E. Chandler, are expected home shortly from their trip that took them through the Panama canal, to Havana, Cuba and then to New York.

Miss Fay Thane, spent part of the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thane.

Tune in on KQW, 7:45 p. m.—A23-30c

Mrs. Charles Evans is improving from her recent illness.

Miss Millicent Shinn was tendered a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Overacker by her students last week.

Mrs. Emma Kallas, of Pittsburg, visited with her mother, Mrs. E. Enos, of Niles, last week.

Jack Townsend and Frank Ferry, of Niles, attended a theater in Oakland Saturday evening.

Miss Adele Martin visited with friends in Oakland on Tuesday.

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By EVA ROGERS

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Olgi, who were married in Reno, Nevada, last week, are now at home to their friends in Centerville.

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A whist party was held Friday night at the grammar school for the benefit of purchasing costumes for the school operetta. It was sponsored by the Parent-Teachers' Association.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Tellen, of Stockton, former Mission San Jose residents, are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Miss Katherine Witherly, who was badly injured in an auto accident last Saturday evening, is now resting comfortably.

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Mrs. Burnella and daughter, Mary, and P. Perierric, of Santa Cruz and San Jose, visited with Mrs. S. Boggini on Sunday.

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M. Harvey, M. Rogers and L. Rogers, of Mision San Jose, motored to Manteca on Sunday.

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A candy sale was held Friday noon by the girls of the seventh grade of the grammar school.

Lineup Change Is Made In Baseball Team At Amador Hi

Second Stringers Show Strength in Beating Deaf School

Amador Dons defeated the California School for Deaf and Dumb with a score of 4 to 1 in a game played at Berkeley last Friday afternoon. The Dummies showed a great deal of improvement over their play in the last game between the schools and gave the Dons a hard fight.

The terrible slump of the Dons in the Centerville game last week resulted in a shake-up in the lineup with Coach George Patterson benching three of the regulars for the first five innings. The revamped team showed plenty of pep and held the Deaf team scoreless.

The change in the lineup was an attempt to get more fight into the team which has been lacking all through the season, especially when the Dons find themeslves on the short end of the score, Coach Patterson said.

The lineup for the Dons was: Bottini c: Anselmo p; Lee 1b; Miller 2b; A. Silva ss; Marino 3b; B. Silva lf; Paulo cf; and Norton rf. Safreno was sent to third, and Peters to short.

The Dons scored their four runs on eight hits. They committed only one error. The Dummies made one run, one hit and two errors.

SIX HETCHY STOLEN CHEGKS PASSED IN PLEASANTON

No Definite Trace of Thieves Has Been Uncovered By Police

Of the $12,000 in checks stolen from Indian Creek camp of Hetch Hetchy on April 4, only six of the vouchers representing about $200 were cashed, it was stated by Pleasanton police.

The six checks were cashed in Oakland and San Francisco before the word of the theft had been relayed to the merchants, it was said. Payment on the checks had been stopped and those who honored them were out.

The checks were stolen from the commissary at Indian Creek camp on Saturday night. They were dated March 31, and were to have been issued to the workmen on last Friday, April 10.

Names of the payees were on all of the checks and they had been signed by officials of the city of San Francisco. They were drawn on the Livermore branch of the Bank of America.

A large portion of the checks stolen were those of workmen residing in Pleasanton, and because of the delay necessary in replacing them none of the men received their check on the regular payday last week.

New checks have been made out since, however, and the men received their pay this week.

No trace of the thieves has been definitely located, police said.

Regis

BRINGING HAPPINESS TO THE WORLD

Committeeman Silva

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Oren Hetherington, a new scout, was accepted into the troop. Committeeman M. D. Silva was present at the meeting, but assistant scoutmaster Chester Bell was unable to be present. Several tenderfoot scouts received their badges at this meeting.

New Primary Teacher at Newark Grammar School

Miss Mary Sa, of Alvarado, a graduate of San Jose State Teachers' College, commenced teaching in the Newark grammar school on Monday morning. The school library was converted into a classroom for her primary class.

Redding—Hannock Oil Co. leased site in north part of city formerly occupied by Stocm Lumber Co., and will erect plant.

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ONE YEAR AGO
In Washington Township

By JACK TOWNSEND

Nineteen Niles scouts were awarded merit badges at the April Court of Honor held recently.

The Washington Union High school band will leave on April 25 for Sacramento, where they are to compete in the State Band Contest.

Dr. Noel Porter officiated at the I. O. O. F. celebration of its eleventh anniversary.

The Country Club is to hold a food sale on May 10.

A play, "His Butler's Wife," was given by the Newark Dramatic club to assist in raising the necessary funds to send the Washington Union High school band to the state contest at the end of April.

Warm Springs will hold an election in the near future for bonds for a new grammar school.

The Leal Theater, of Irvington, recently installed talking equipment.

Irvington ball team defeated the San Jose Moose nine by a score of nine to eight, Joe Blacow being the star of the game.

The National Ice Manufacturers report that over 950 pounds of ice per person were used last year.

The senior class play, "In a Mission Garden," under the direction of Miss Aubery Nicely, is getting along very nicely in rehearsals.

The foundation of the new gym for the Washington Union High school has been laid, and work is progressing at a very rapid pace.

Public Schools week was observed last week by all township schools.

Eighteen Niles scouts enjoyed a swim at Alum Rock last Saturday.

Roland Bendel attended a meeting of the County Board of Firemen in Oakland last week.

First Aid Work Is Demonstrated Here

Miss Barbara Bradley gave a demonstration of first aid before the members of the Farm Home department at a meeting held at the Pleasanton grammar school last Thursday afternoon.

After the demonstration plans for the Better Homes week, which will be held the latter part of this month, were discussed.

Mrs. Holman, county demonstration agent, and Miss Due, of the Fairview Home Department, were guests.

Porterville—Terra Bella Refinery Company will build oil refinery on site between this city and Porterville.

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BOY SCOUTS ARE TO ATTEND FIELD DAY ACTIVITIES

Court of Honor at Sunol Also Holds Attention and Interest.

Dates for two important activities were arranged by the Pleasanton troop of Boy Scouts at its meeting this week it was announced.

The first will be a trip to Dimond camp on April 25 for the annual field day program for the scouts in Alameda county. The second will be the first court of honor in which the Pleasanton troop will participate, this to be held at Sunol on Wednesday, April 29.

Eight members of the troop were present Tuesday night and all who had not passed their tenderfoot tests before were promoted and all are now working on the second class tests and hope to be ready to take the examinations at the court of honor in two weeks.

Plans for taking the troop to Dimond camp were placed in the hands of the Scout committee, V. Bernard Johnson, scoutmaster, stated. The committee is composed of Thomas J. Orloff, chairman, T. H. Silver, Lloyd H. Rhodes, Andrew Greve and A. B. Pickard, all of Pleasanton.

The court of honor to be held on April 29 in the Sunol Grammar School will be for scouts from Sunol, Pleasanton and Livermore. Tests will be given scouts in the first and second class, and merit badges will be awarded.

Pleasanton Scouts answering roll call Tuesday were Tony Adami, Billy Carey, Charles Anselmo, James Munro, Jack Kolln, Virgelloi Campagne, Arnold Abrott and Curtis Siggins.

JUSTICE COURT HEARS NUMEROUS TRAFFIC CASES

Bail of Two Declared Forfeited—Bench Warrants Are Issued

Bail put up by violators of motor laws who were to have appeared in Judge Chas. A. Gale's justice court, Pleasanton, Tuesday were declared forfeited and bench warrants issued for the arrest of others who had not placed bail and who failed to appear.

A series of raids on headlights and non-stop boulevard drivers were conducted last week by members of the highway patrol and the violators cited to appear here Tuesday.

The bail of Tony Porta and Tony Soreno was declared forfeited for non-appearance in court. Both men had posted $10 bail. Bench warrants were issued for the arrest of Richard F. Shelly and Tom Bladock. The cases of L. Hamilton and Wm. R. Smith, charged with driving with old license plates were dismissed at the request of the arresting officer.

Tom Dladock came to Pleasanton Tuesday night after work and fixed his fine up, Judge Gale said.

SHOWER IS TENDERED JULIA CROMMIE BY NATIVE DAUGHTERS

Out-of-Town Guests Are Present at Interesting Meeting on Tuesday

Mrs. Julia Crommie was the honored guest at a shower given by the Native Daughters of Pleasanton Parlor, at the regular meeting held Tuesday night in the Odd Fellows' hall.

Cards were the principal diversion of the evening. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Myrtle Lanini, Mrs. Agnes Rose, Gladys Rose, Mammie George and Bernice Lewis.

In addition to the members of Pleasanton parlor, Evelyn Perry, district deputy, and Augusta Huxal, both of Fruitvale, were guests.

The April meeting of the Scout Leaders association was held in the St. James Memorial hall in Centerville last evening, when the main subject discussed was the Troop tax. The meeting was preceded by a dinner.

SUNOL -- DEPARTMENT --

J. J. Whittaker spent the week-end with relatives in Sunol.

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Mrs. A. C. Day was a Livermore caller Monday.

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Robert Bonner, of Eureka, visited his mother, Mrs. Lou Bonner, last Tuesday.

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Mr. Tribletice spent the week-end visiting his parents in Stockton.

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Eitol Schroder attended the motorcycle races held in Fresno, Sunday.

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Friends of Mrs. Emma Vaughn will be pleased to hear of her rapid recovery from her operation She asked to be remembered to all of her friends in Sunol and vicinity, and especially to her friends in the Sunol P.-T. A.

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Mrs. Patz, of Alameda, and Mrs. Brundage, of Arizona, visited at the home of Miss Molly Buttner

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Joe Barios, of Pleasanton, was a Sunol caller Friday.

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Miss Tillie Buttner and Miss Fish, teachers at Miss Burke's School for Girls in San Francisco, spent the week-end at the home of Miss Molly Buttner.

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Mrs. A. C. Day entertained the Sunol Bridge club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

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Clarence Cosgrove spent Sunday visiting in Oakland.

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Edwin Oliver was a San Francisco visior Monday.

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Ernest Schween was a business caller in Sunol Monday and Tuesday.

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A. C. Day made a business trip to Oakland and Hayward Thursday.

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Mrs. James Hoag has been on the sick list the past week but is much improved at present.

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Mrs. E. Blake, of Salt Lake City, Miss Betty Sutherland, and Mrs. Jack Silver and son, Teddy, were San Francisco visitors Tuesday.

Joe Tasserot left Monday for Tracy where he has a position as watchman for the Southern Pacific welding gang.

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Frank Crespi, of Vallejo, spent the week-end at his home in Sunol.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Lloyd, of Lafayette, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hoag, of Berkeley, spent Sunday at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. J. Hoag, in Sunol.

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Miss Marie Buttner, of Oakland, spent the week-end with relatives in Sunol.

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Mrs. Lou Bonner spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Fred Dusterberry, of Centerville.

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The Buttner Homes Tour of the Farm Center is to be taken on Wednesday, April 29. The tour starts at Hayward at the Farm Center office at 10 o'clock. They will be at the Water Temple in Sunol at 11:30 for lunch. Each one is to bring their own lunch and the ladies of the Pleasanton Farm Center will furnish coffee. At this time the Four H Club girls will put on a demonstration at the Sunol library. All who are interested are cordially invited to atend this tour whether they take in the entire tour or just come to the demonstration, or lunch.

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Vanda and Olga Pelotti, of Stockton, were week-end guests of Marie and Josephine Pedri, in Sunol.

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Mrs. Rooney was a business caller in San Francisco Tuesday.

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Miss Jean Trimingham spent Tuesday, in Oakland.

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Seventeen new books have been received at the Sunol branch library the past week. They include fiction, juvenile, and travel.

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Mrs. J. Hoag spent Tuesday with relatives in Oakland.

(Too Late for Last Week)

Miss Betty Southerland, of Salt Lake City, arrived in Sunol Monday and has accepted a position at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. West.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Henderson, of Oakland, were Sunol callers Saturday. They formerly lived at Kilkare Woods.

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Several attended the movies in Pleasanton the past week. Movies were shown of local places and also of the school children from Dublin, Pleasanton and Sunol.

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Mrs. D. J. Hurley and Mrs. H. A. Johnson were Sunol representatives to the Pleasanton Farm Center meeting Thursday. Miss B. Bradley gave an interesting talk on first aid to the assembled guests. After the business meeting a lovely lunch was served by the committee. Mrs. Lopez won the attendance prize.

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The study class met at the library Wednesday evening with Mrs. John Trimingham as the leader. She had prepared an interesting paper on the subject of India. An interesting discussion was indulged in and both sides of the question were looked into. The next meeting will be held April 22. The subject for discussion will be "Sinclair Lewis" and his book, "Main Street."

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Mrs. F. A. Johnson, of Los Angeles arrived Friday for a few months visit at the home of her son, H. A. Johnson, and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Toffelmire, of Oakland, were Sunol visitors Thursday.

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Mrs. A. S. Day made a business trip to Oakland Tuesday.

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Edwin Oliver made a business trip to Livermore Saturday.

Earl Stewart visited friends and relatives in Stockton the past week.

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Clarence Cosgrove spent the week-end visiting friends and relatives in Oakland.

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Mrs. Nellie Westling visited in San Jose Sunday.

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Mrs. Jack Silver made a business trip to Oakland Monday.

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Mrs. Rooney was an Oakland caller Tuesday.

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Mrs. M. Andrews made a business trip to San Francisco Tuesday.

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Mrs. J. H. Rankin, Mrs. George Johnson and Mrs. Budd visited in San Francisco Monday.

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The Sunol Girl Scouts with their leader, Mrs. George Richards and the Sunol Boy Scouts under their leader, George Richards, went on a hike Sunday. They met at the Southern Pacific station at one o'clock and started for their day's trek. They took several pictures before returning at five o'clock. The scouts are looking forward to another hike in the near future.

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Mrs. Alfieri was a caller in Oakland Tuesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Archer made a business trip to Niles Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of their mother, Mrs. F. A. Johnson, of Los Angeles.

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Dr. J. M. Anderson, of Harrisburg, Oregon, and Horace Dwelle, of Northwood, Iowa, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Johnson over the week-end. They left Monday for Minnesota to spend the summer.

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Mrs. George Roraback and son, Douglas, made a business trip to Irvington Friday.

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Mrs. Manuel Terras was a celler in Pleasanton Saturday.

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Mrs. A. Silver and Mrs. George Roraback were callers in San Jose Tuesday.

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Mrs. Manuel Terras was a callfined to her home with an infected finger last week.

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Mrs. H. C. Lamons and Mrs. Joe Silver made a business trip to San Jose Tuesday.

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Mrs. A. C. Day and mother made a trip to Vallejo Wednesday.

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Dr. M. E. Eastman, of Pleasanton, was the speaker at the meeting of the Sunol Parent-Teachers' Association Tuesday afternoon. His subject was "Infantile Paralysis." An interesting roundtable was conducted after the talk. He will address the members at the next regular meeting to be held on the evening of Tuesday, April 28. His subject on this occasion will be "Infantile Paralysis and Spinal Menengitis."

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Mrs. Wm. Johnson returned to the Pleasanton Hospital. Mother and babe are doing nicely.

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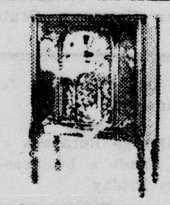

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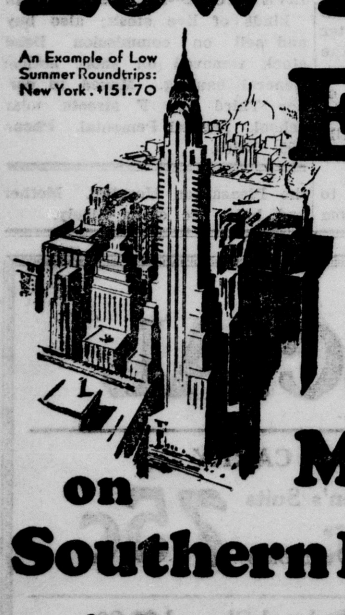

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When Agriculture Comes Back, Then Will All Business

Lions Club Speaker Answers Question of End of Hard Times

NEW IDEAS ADVANCED

L. H. Storgaard Presents Club With Picture of Farm Problems

"The depression in this country will end when the farmer comes back to a state of prosperity!"

So declared L. H. Storgaard, of the Pacific Rural Press, in an address before the Pleasanton Lions club at Ratti's restaurant, Pleasanton, on last Tuesday evening when the club observed "Farmers' Night."

All farmers of this district had been invited to attend this session of the club when the farm problem was to be discussed. There were a number of them in attendance, including A. M. Kamp, A. B. Casterson and Louis Casterson, all of Pleasanton, Walter Block, of Livermore, and T. O. Morrison, of Hayward.

Storgaard's talk was one of the most interesting delivered before the Lions, and many of his statements brought to light new ideas and thoughts never before considered in connection with the farm problem. He was introduced by Joseph Rose, chairman of the evening.

"The prosperity of the world is dependent upon the well-being of agriculture," Storgaard declared. "Throughout history it has ever been agriculture which started and kept civilization advancing, and it has ever been the recovery of the farmer that the break in panics and depressions has depended."

The speaker traced in a brief way civilization from the time of the Garden of Eden, showing how the first pursuits of the people were agricultural in nature, explaining that all had to eat, and that after the farmers had procured a surplus that commerce began, for they then had something to barter with. Following the increased well-being of the farmer came the cities, which in turn destroyed the well-being of the farmer. Then the people moved westward when the depressions came, and started anew.

"But we have come to a point where we cannot move westward any longer and we must face the problem of living together just where we are," Storgaard said. He then went on to explain his points that the cities destroy the farmer.

"Taxes do it. Not the direct taxes, but the indirect taxes.

"The merchants, banks and railroads put up wonderful building, but they haven't any money, so they figure the cost, add twenty percent and sell their merchandise, loan their money, transport the people.

"Whoever does business with them in their turn add twenty percent and resell their product, and in time the chain has come back to the farmer.

"And who does he charge the added twenty percent to?

"There is the picture briefly and it is a problem. Where will the solution come from? Not from the big cities, but from the small communities such as Pleasanton which are directly dependant upon the farmer's well-being for its own well-being."

Storgaard declared that he was not a pessimist, but rather an optimist as he believed the depression was not largely mental and that even that would be dissipated very soon.

AMADOR LIONS NET FAIR SUM FROM DANCE

The Cabaret Dance given by the Senior class of Amador Valley High School last Friday night was a great success both socially and financially.

The exact amount of money raised on the dance has not yet been figured, but it is estimated to be in the neighorhood of $50, according to Edwin Gomes, class president. The total expense of the party was said to have been only $61.

SURPRISE SHOWER IS HELD IN HONOR OF BRIDE ELECT

Members of the Corpus Christi church choir gave a surprise shower on Saturday in honor of Miss Laura Garcia, who is to be married in the near future. The party was given at the home of Mrs. Bert Silveira, where the living room was decorated profusely with glorious spring blossoms.

The afternoon was spent in playing bridge, and prizes were won by Evelyn Garcia and Flora Silva. Delightful refreshments were served after the card games.

MORE ON RESIGNATION OF

(Continued from Page One)

ago the school had just moved into the new building. Since that time it has been necessary to add a great deal of equipment and a number of teachers. The school has grown two and one half times during this period.

"The financial accounting system shows at a moment's notice a duplicate bill and a duplicate warrant for any expenditures which has been made during the seven years I have been here. The budget distribution record of expenditures was started seven years ago and is in convenient form and complete for the entire period of my principalship. Since additional help has been added to the office of the principal a ledger system showing each account in detail has been kept. Our finances are in excellent condition. No bonds have been sold during this seven years but each year a payment has been made on the bonds voted previously. Recently the tax to pay bonds has decreased one per cent on the $100 each year. This year the bond tax of our district is eight cents against a bond tax in Hayward of 18 cents, in Livermore a bond tax of 22 cents, in Pleasanton a bond tax of 25 cents. At the present moment our balance in the county fund is $15,374.88. We are still to receive the second apportionment of this year's taxes which should amount to at least $30,000. Expenses for the remainder of this fiscal year are estimated at $21,000, leaving an estimated balance July 1, of about $24,000.

The moral tone of the school has been very high and we feel that this is due in part to one of the best faculties in the state of California and partly to the program of activities which has kept the students busy and given them less time for a foolish waste of time and energies. The moral situation is also due to a very fine spirit among the students as a group.

"I wish to express my commendations to the board which has stood solidly with me to develop the best school possible for Washington Union High school despite certain criticisms from people who did not realize the needs of the school nor the rapid growth of the student body. I wish to thank each member of the board of trustees for the personal encouragement which he has given me. This refers back to the time when R. S. Stewart, J. E. Rogers, and Mr. Brewer were on the board as well as during the past year when the board continued to support me in my work.

"It is with sincere regret that I tender you my resignation. May the school grow and prosper in all ways and may the new board and principal have as much pleasure and as much satisfaction as the boards of trustees and the principal of the past seven years have had in doing our whole duty as the Almighty Being has given us to see our duty, 'with charity for all, with malice toward none, with firmness in the right as God has given us to see the right'."

Sincerely and cordially,
(Signed) E. B. HODGES.

The balance of Mr. Hodge's letter of resignation will be published in the next issue of the Township Register.

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Dina-Mite Enjoyable, laxative breakfast cereal Large pkg. 23c

Quaker Oats Quick or regular. Small pkg. 10c Large pkg. 23c

Corn Tender Sweet, milky sugar kernels. No. 2 can 10c

Mother's Cocoa Ready to use in beverage or baking. 2-lb. can 25c

Ice Cream Dairyland, 17% richer than the law requires. Quart brick 25c

Parfay The new blended shortening, product of Swift & Co. 1-lb. can 21c

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ORANGES 21c per dozen
LETTUCE 2c head
SQUASH Summer and Italian 2 ..... 17c
GREEN PEAS 4c per pound
NEW RED POTATOES 4c per pound
CABBAGE 5c head
STRAWBERRIES Sat. only 10c basket
LOCAL LEMONS 9c dozen

Pineapple Hillsdale broken slices (Limit 4) No. 2½ can 12½c

Tomatoes Del Monte solid pack (Limit 4) No. 2½ can 12½c

Pickles Bread and Butter, one of the Best Foods. Jar 17c

Ham Underwood Deviled, a favorite spread for picnic sandwiches. No. ¼ can 12½c

Bird Seed French's, to keep canaries in tip-top health. 2 pkgs. 25c

Cleanser Lighthouse, scours without scratching. 2 cans 9c

Powdered Sugar In handy carton. Pound 9c

Sweet Pickles Del Rio, cut sweet pickles Large jar 25c

Mustard Morehouse, prepared for a pleasing flavor. Jar 8c

Candles Radiant; keep some on hand in case of emergency. 3 for 10c

Peas Del Monte Early Garden pack (Limit 4) No. 2 can 12½c

Matches Bird's Eye, sure fire (Limit 6) 3 boxes 10c

CHOICE MACMARR MEATS

Swift's Premium Hams Lb. 24c
Picnic Hams Lb. 15c
Fancy Eastern Ham (sugar cured) 20c
Boneless Veal Roast Lb. 26c
Prime Rib Roast Lb. 19c
Boneless Lamb Roast Lb. 25c
Rack of Lamb Lb. 17c
Shoulder of Lamb Lb. 13c
Pot Roast Lb. 13c
Boneless Beef Roast Lb. 23c
Shoulder Veal Roast Lb. 19c
Cross Rib Roast round bone cut, lb 16c
Pure Lard 3 lbs. 33c